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64 ATTEND INDIAN CONFERENCE
AT UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA

MISSOULA--

Sixty-four men and women from nine states and the District of Columbia attended the 10th annual Northwest Tribal Judges Conference at the University of Montana June 9-11.

The conference was cosponsored by National American Indian Court Judges Association, and Arrow, a national Indian self-help foundation. The northwest association is made up of six states--Montana, Washington, Wyoming, Idaho, Oregon, and Utah.

Participants in the conference discussed common problems encountered in tribal courts. Cranston Hawley, Fort Belknap, was conference chairman.

UM law faculty members attending the conference included Dr. Larry M. Elison, a law professor, and David J. Patterson, an associate professor of law.

Montana participants included Loren D. Harrison, Missoula; Jack Burkhart, Ned O. Thompson, Walt Willett, Keith L. Burrowes and Ted Meredith, Billings.

Charles F. Sanders Sr., Flathead Reservation; Rudolph King Sr., Lame Deer; Audra Pambrum, Orville Goss, Lenore Geihan, Celestus Arrowtop and Robert W. McMullen, Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Duran and Rosetta LaMere, Rocky Boy; Mike Blackbird, Fort Belknap Reservation; John Corbett and Meryle S. Stansberry, Havre; Louise Burke and Emma Jean Rouillier, Dixon; Harold Robinson and Vance Curtiss, Ronan; John C. Vaughn and Steve P. Nelson, Helena, and Joe Day and John W. Culbertson, Fort Peck.

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Other participants included: WASHINGTON STATE--Elsie Wak Wak, Alex Saluskin, Orville N. Olney, Louis Cloud, Joe Meninick and Jeri Meninick, Yakima; Bud Lozar, Hoquiam; Frank Hall Sr., Anna M. Koontz, Barbara J. Fairchild and Judy J. Millett, Quinalt; and Mabel Smith and Burna J. Arnaux, Neah Bay.

OREGON--C.G. Thompson and Norma Smith, Warm Springs; A.G. Von Risswick, Hillery A. Brown and Richard M. Balsiger, Portland.

UTAH--Henry Upchego, Adriana Giles, Richard Mountain and Clifford Duncan, Fort Duchesne.

NEW MEXICO--Elizabeth A. Martin, Wesley C. Martin and Ronald Morris, Lummi, and Doug Robinson, Albuquerque.

Other participants included Jimmie Dann, Fort Hall, Idaho; George R. Armstrong, Cortez, Colo.; Kathy Imig and Harvey Friedman, Washington D.C.; Betty Laverdure and Jeanette Grant, Belcourt, N.D., and Lawrence Miller, Fort Washakie, Wyo. and Frank Enos, Wind River, Wyo.

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